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ANN S. STEPHENS, AUTHORESS OF "FASHION AND FAMINE."

Mrs. Stephens is a native of a rural village in the State of Maine, which State has produced one third of the literary men and women of the United States of the present day. Willis, Longfellow, Dr. Cheever, the authoress of "Norwood," Mrs. Seba Smith, "Jack Downing," John Neal, William Cutter,, the poet, Grenville Mellen, the poet, Mrs. Francis S. Osgood, were all natives of Maine, with many others of note.

Mrs. Stephens was born overrunning with genius. She had the privilege which only a country school could furnish, and her associations were with the plain, farming population of an obscure region, where snows & granite contended against toil and comfort. With her talents and mental superiority she could not be otherwise in New England (where all clever women are or were once schoolmistresses,) a teacher of a village school. She wrote for the papers before seventeen. Her productions were brilliant and crude, but burning with the true poetic fire. A publisher became enamoured of the verses, and on seeing the fair authoress transfered his penchant to her. At that time she was a slender, tall girl, with auburn (we dare not write red) hair, a fair high forehead, a Scotch rose and white, complexion, and blue eyes, sparkling with taste and imagination. In manners she was awkward and shy, a thorough country lass, ignorant of the world and the artificial forms of society. She could ride like an Arabian, teach like a Newton, write like a Hemans, and captivated every body by her conversation. Yet, she had never seen a city—perhaps not a brick house or paved street.

The publisher a quiet, amiable, sentimental gentle man, lost his heart. He had the courage to propose to the "village genius," and she had the condescension to accept him. He married, and took her to the city of Portland. Here she was dazzled by the libraries, the literary men, the brilliant society to which her graceful poetical articles in her husband's paper introduced her. Her society was courted, and she became a lioness in literature. Her rustic naivete, her independence, her colloquial powers, her good sense and wit, soon rendered her a favorite with the gentlemen and the dislike of her own sex. In her poems she did not spare them, and thus she fell into an attitude of war with them, but with the advantage on her side of her keen cutting pen. Yet Mrs Stephens was, and is, one of the most amiable persons in the world; and her philippics were usually as just as they were well aimed.

She published a book, and the New York publishers negotiated with her for others. She removed to New York, to an atmosphere more genial for one of her independent ways. In Portland she would often be seen galloping at full speed down the main street, spring lightly to the pavement, throw the bridle cavilierly to her husband to hold, run into the office to read proof, reappear in twenty minutes, retake the bridle, nod "thank'ee" to her lord, mount and off again, like a Cossack, or as if riding against wind and time.

These and other excentricities rendered quiet Portland not so pleasant as at first, and she gladly took up her residence in New York where, with the exception of a tour in Europe, she has since resided.

Mrs. Stephens is fully appreciated as a literary woman. She has no superior among American female writers in style and brilliancy of imagination. Her late work will place her at the head of American female novelists.

This lady is now about thirty-nine, very plain, but in five minutes her flashing eyes, her facinating conversation and charming manner make one forget that she's not a Hebe. Mrs. Stephens visits editors and chats with them in their sanctums with the freedom of one of their own sex, joins gentlemen of her acquaintance on promenade with a free and easy way; hails a friend, Willis, Halleck, or Morris, across Broadway and is altogether remarkably independent of conventional forms; yet no authoress is more popular or more liked by those who know her, and as a woman she never crossed the line of femenine modesty so as to diminish aught from that self-respect which she claims as a woman, and which is irresistibly conceded to her.

Mobile Tribune

"Have you ever observed how soon a man assumes the starchiness of his dickey when the people elevate him a little? The lower the office, as a general thing, the more insolent the occupant.—

Some of our local pet bank cashiers put on more airs than the Governor of the State; while we have seen the boss of a two horse rail-road far more difficult to come at than the Judge of a Supreme Court. President Pierce is far more accessible than the Secretaries, while the Secretaries are much more accessible than the Clerks. The most insolent man we ever found at the "White House" was a footman. The fact is, the more buckwheat a man's head contains, where the brains ought to be the more he runs away with the idea that being 'sassy' and keeping his hair slicked up is dignified. Did you ever notice the matter?

"Billy, my boy, can't you eat a little more?" "Well, I don't know but I could, mother, if I stood up."

If your sister, while engaged in tender conversation with her sweetheart, requests you to bring her a glass of water from the adjoining room, you can start on your errand, but you need not return. You will not be wanted. You will not be missed no how.

Many persons are now anxiously examining the maps to find the "seat of war." Fubbs says he found it last summer without a map. The discovery was made by sitting down upon a yellow wasp's nest in a hay field.

The most awkward thing in or out of all creation is a woman trying to run. They can't do it. She is not a running institution—except with her tongue. If there are two arrangements in the world that were never made for fleetness on the pedal, they are women and ducks

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A MODERN DICTIONARY.—Public Abuse—The mud with which every traveller is spattered on the road to distinction.

Distant Relations—People who imagine they have a claim to rob you if you are rich, and to insult you if you are poor.

Belle—A beautiful, but useless insect without wings, whose colors fade on being removed from the sunshine.

Heart—A very rare article, sometimes found in human beings It is soon, however, destroyed by commerce with the world, or else becomes fatal to its possesser.

Housewifery—An ancient art, said to have been once fashionable among young girls and wives; now entirely out of use or practiced only by the 'lower orders'

Wealth—The most respectable quality of the man.

Virtue—An awkward habit of acting different from other people. A vulgar word. It creates great mirth in fashionable circles.

Honor—Shooting a friend through the head, whom you love, in order to gain the praise of others whom you despise.

Friend—A person who will not assist you because he knows you will excuse him.

State's evidence—A wretch who is pardoned for being baser than his comrades.

Bridgeport Hotel.

THE subscribers having opened a commodious Hotel, at the CROSSING OF THE AGUA FRIO, formerly known as CHURCH & BARSTOW'S, beg to assure their friends and the travelling public generally, that the accommodations to be found at their House, are not to be surpassed by any other Hotel in the Interior. This Hotel being situated on the great thoroughfare from Mariposa and Agua Frio to the Lower Country, travellers are invited to give us a call and examine our arrangements. Our table will be supplied with the best that can be procured, and the Bar well stocked with good Liquors.

☞ Stabling, &c., for animals. ☜

BALES & CO.

Bridgeport, Aug. 26, 1854. au26 tf

JAMES M. BLACKWELL,

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE,

FOR TOWNSHIP NO. 3. MARIPOSA COUNTY.

☞ OFFICE over Young & Johnson's Store, Lower Agua Frio. October 6, 1854.—tf

SAMUEL H. P. ROSS,

Justice of the Peace for Township No. 1.

AND

Notary Public under the late Act of 1853.

RESPECTFULLY offers his services to the citizens of Mariposa county, and particularly to the citizens of the Agricultural portions of the county, in preparing their declaratory statements. Having been the late County Surveyor, he will retrace the lines of the United States' survey that have been lost, and prepare the necessary documents to secure their claims at the Land Office at Benicia. Being generally known throughout the county, he deems no references necessary. Deeds, Mortgages, and other legal documents carefully written.

Office, near the Stone House, Merced river. Applications left at Snelling's Ranch, will be carefully attended to. m3-tf

WILLIAM NICHOLS,

The Oldest Butcher in Mariposa,

Familiarly known as "BLOODY NICK," continues to keep canstantly on hand, at his old stand on Main street, the best

AMERICAN BEEF AND PORK

the country affords, cheap for cash. He feels confident that in his branch of business he can't be beat, consequently he defies all competition.

Credit is dead and buried. j19-tf

A Splendid BARGAIN!

FINE RANCH FOR SALE.

THE subscriber offers for sale his Ranch, consisting of ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY ACRES

of excellent Land, situated on the northerly side of the Merced River, about six miles from its mouth. TWENTY-FIVE Acres are fenced and under cultivation, and fencing cut for about Fifty Acres more. The whole Ranch is suitable for raising grain or Gardening purposes. Upon the Ranch are two Houses, and other improvements.

The above will be sold very low.

Also—A quantity of

WHEAT,

which will be sold with the place, if desired.

☞ Enquire of A. F. Washburn, Esq., Mariposa, or of the subscriber on the premises.

JOHN E. DEPP.

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For Sale.

ONE EIGHT MULE TEAM, with Wagon and Harness complete;

TWO HEAVY WAGONS;

ONE LIGHT SPRING WAGON, with Four Sets of Harness;

ONE CART AND HARNESS.

THE undersigned offers the above for sale, not having use for the same, and recommends the attention of Teamsters and Farmers generally.

Parties requiring any of the above named articles are invited to call and examine for themselves.

Terms Cash, and delivered on the place.

Mount Ophir, 14th November, 1854.

n17-3t RICHARD MITCHELL.

WALLACE'S

GARDEN RANCH,

AND

GENERAL PROVISION STORE,

MT. OPHIR.

THE public of Mt. Ophir and surrounding district are informed that this establishment is now supplied with one of the largest and best assorted stocks of Goods in the line, that can be found in the County, all or any portion of which will be sold as low as the lowest.

In the Boarding and Lodging department, every attention will be shown to patrons.

Regular boarders and sojourners will always find a well furnished table, and good clean beds.

feb10-tf HENRY WALLACE.

Express and Steamer Notices.

STELLE'S EXPRESS,

CONNECTING WITH

WELLS, FARGO & CO.

AT STOCKTON TO SAN FRANCISCO, ATLANTIC STATES AND EUROPE.

Sight Drafts on Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Offices in all the principal Atlantic Cities, for sale.

Express Business in all its branches promptly attended to.

☞ Gold Dust Bought.

OFFICES.

In Stockton ..... at ..... Wells, Fargo & Co.'s.
In Mount Ophir ..... at ..... Miller's Store.
In Mariposa ..... Main Street.
Hornitas ..... at ..... Burton & Barker's.

☞ French, Spanish, Irish, German, and American Newspapers for sale at all the offices.

ag11-tf G. W. STELLE.

ADAMS & CO.'S

EXPRESS AND BANKING OFFICE,

Charles street, Mariposa.

DAILY EXPRESS TO AND FROM STOCKTON, SAN FRANCISCO, SONORA, MOKELUMNE HILL, COLUMBIA, JAMESTOWN, &c.,

FOR the transmission of Gold Dust, Freight and Packages of every description.

—ALSO—

To and from SACRAMENTO, MARYSVILLE, and all parts of the Northern Mines.

—ALSO—

Semi-monthly, to and from OREGON.

TREASURE received for shipment for the *ATLANTIC STATES and EUROPE.*

BILLS OF EXCHANGE DRAWN ON OUR OFFICES IN

NEW YORK,
PHILADELPHIA,
WASHINGTON,
ST. LOUIS,
BOSTON,
BALTIMORE,
NEW ORLEANS,
PITTSBURG,
CINCINNATI,
LONDON.

GOLD DUST delivered at the United States Mint, and proceeds forwarded to any part of the Union.

j27-1y* ADAMS & CO.

WELLS, FARGO & CO.'S

NEW YORK, EUROPEAN AND CALIFORNIA

EXPRESS AND BANKING COMPANY.

CAPITAL, $500,000.

PRRINCIPAL OFFICES—16 Wall street, New York, Express Building, corner of Montgomery and California streets, San Francisco, 8, Place de la Bourse, Paris.

☞ WELLS, FARGO & CO. dispatch an Express to New York, and every city and town of the Atlantic States, by every steamer of the Regular Lines running between New York and San Francisco, both by the

NICARAGUA AND PANAMA ROUTES

accompanied by a Special Messenger on each steamer.

A DAILY EXPRESS, (accompanied by messengers,) is received and dispatched at SAN FRANCISCO, from and to SACRAMENTO, and all towns in the Northern Mines.

—ALSO—

From and to STOCKTON, and all towns in the Southern Mines.

Their Express to PORTLAND and the interior of OREGON, is dispatched by each steamer of the Mail Line.

Their Express to EUROPE is dispatched, via New York and the steamers of the Collins' Line.

SIGHT DRAFTS on New York, Philadelphia, Boston, St. Louis and Cincinnati.

—ALSO—

Payable in almost all the principal cities and towns in the Atlantic States and the Canadas.

EXPRESS OFFICE AND BANKING HOUSE, STOCKTON, Centre street, between Main and Levee streets.

WELLS, FARGO & CO.,
J. M. VANSYCKLE, Agent.

SIGHT DRAFTS on all the above offices of Wells, Fargo & Co., for sale at the office of Stelle's Express, Mariposa.

feb10-tf G. W. STELLE.

Team For Sale.

A VALUABLE TEAM, consisting of Four Yoke of American Oxen, and a good Wagon.

The Cattle are in excellent condition, fit for Butchering or working, and will be sold cheap for Cash, or exchanged for Barley and Hay.

☞ Enquire at the ZINC STORE.

Mariposa, September 20, 1854.

sep22-tf DIMOND & CO.

Zinc Store.

DIMOND & CO.,

GRATEFUL for the very liberal patronage bestowed upon us, during the past year, would now inform our old friends and the public in general, that we have erected a large and commodious

Ware-House, at Algiers,

which is connected with our present Store by means of a

RAIL ROAD,

in which can be found a large and well selected Stock of Goods, suitable for Mining and other purposes.

Those wishing to purchase largely, we respectfully solicit to give us a call, as we will sell lower than the lowest.

Our Stock of CLOTHING, BOOTS, SHOES, DRILLS, and DOMESTICS, is well adapted for this market.

☞ CALL AND SEE HOW CHEAP WE CAN SELL. ☜

Mariposa, Sept. 20, 1854. sep22-tf

Steam GRIST MILL.

THE subscriber having made a number of improvements in his Steam Mill, is now prepared to furnish the public with

FRESH GROUND FLOUR!

of a superior quality.

—ALSO—

GROUND BARLEY, WHOLESALE OR RETAIL,

and as cheap as these articles can be furnished by any house in town.

Enquire at the Mill, on Bullion street, nearly opposite Taylor's Stable. Mariposa, Sept. 20, 1850.

sep22-tf N. HASKELL.

For Sale!

TWO FINE CLAIMS,

SITUATED OPPOSITE TO SNELLING'S.

A beautiful stream of water has recently been carried through nearly the centre of the Ranch for the purpose of running a GRIST-MILL on the adjoining Ranch, which is of inestimable worth for irrigation.

All kinds of Vegetables can be raised the season through.

Between one and two hundred acres are fenced, and over one hundred acres are under cultivation. There are fifty acres of Volunteer Barley, well bushed and harrowed, and there is plenty of Timber and all the natural conveniences that can be found on any Ranch in the country.

☞ Any person wishing to purchase at his own price, will please call and see. We are in for a bargain.

sep15-tf JOHN W. WEBSTER & CO.

Come One, COME ALL!!

EVER desiring to please, ever striving to deserve the patronage of my friends, and the public at large, I have made extensive additions to my Stock, and now flatter myself that I have the best assortment of

Choice Family Groceries,

PROVISIONS, LIQUORS,

Wines Cigars, CLOTHING,

BOOTS, &c., &c.,

THAT CAN BE FOUND IN ANY STORE IN THIS STATE.

Housekeepers and Miners would do well to replenish their Stock of Provisions and Groceries at the present time, and by calling upon the undersigned, they will save by so doing, as I am about to sell cheaper than any other house in this town.

Try me once, and you will be sure to call again.

L. FRANKL,

o20-tf Mariposa, Main Street.

Mariposa Advertisements.

NEW MADRID

Steam Saw-Mill.

Not in the Field of Competition, but

RUNNING ON THE INDEPENDENT LINE!

SITUATED ON CHARLES STREET,

ONLY ONE BLOCK FROM COURT-HOUSE SQUARE.

THIS MILL HAVING RESUMED BUSINESS, is in good repair, and is prepared to deliver LUMBER, in the town of Mariposa and vicinity, at short notice; or will deliver large bills in any part of the county where there is a practicable road.

Mr. SHUTOE, the Clerk, will still be found at the Mill, and will attend to orders in his usual prompt, pleasant manner. [sep8 tf] W. S. KAVANAUGH.

Reduced Prices!

AT

Phillip's Hotel.

MANUEL ALLEN & CO.,

HAVING taken the BOARDING department of the above Hotel, respectfully inform the public that they have made important reductions in the price of board, which they now furnish equal to the best in town, for

EIGHT DOLLARS PER WEEK!

OYSTER STEWS and other dishes furnished at all hours of the day, and until 10 o'clock at night

Give us a trial and you will come again.

Mariposa, Sept. 28, 1854.

sep29-tf MANUEL ALLEN & CO.

TAYLOR'S

Livery Stable,

On Fourth street, between Main and Bullion streets, Mariposa.

☞ OFFICE AT PHILLIP'S HOTEL. ☜

THIS Favorite Stable has been enlarged and fitted up in the best manner, and is supplied with a stream of

RUNNING WATER,

and an abundance of the Best Feed, which is kept for animals to eat.

The best care taken of all Stock left at this Stable.

Charges moderate enough to suit the most economical.

Saddle Horses to let and animals taken on Livery by the day week or month.

o6-tf W. B. TAYLOR.

Money Saved

IS

MONEY MADE

BY recent arrangements made with our House in San Francisco, we are prepared to sell the

FIRST QUALITY OF CIGARS

as low as they can be bought in San Francisco.

We shall keep constantly on hand a large stock of the best

HAVANA CIGARS,

and would advise Merchants, Hotel and Saloon keepers, and the trade in general, to examine our stock before purchasing elsewhere.

STORE ON MAIN STREET, MARIPOSA.

N. B. Tobacco, Hardware, Stationery, &c., &c., constantly on hand.

j19-1y N. COHN & CO.

"Our House!"

UPPER AGUA FRIO.

WILLIAM KETTON & CO.,

HAVING thoroughly renovated the above Hotel, are now prepared to accommodate the traveling public, and others, with comfortable quarters, as good board as can be found at any other house in the mines, and with as

GOOD LIQUORS AND CIGARS,

as can be found in the market.

Those in want of a pleasant home are requested to give us a trial. Upper Agua Frio, August 11, 1854.

ag11-tf WILLIAM KETTON & CO.

"Old Virginia never Tire."

Neither does New England.

The Pioneer Steam Saw Mill,

ON SHERLOCK'S CREEK,

STILL CONTINUES TO RATTLE OUT THE BEST QUALITY OF

LUMBER,

Of every description, from the shortest to the longest and wildest, and the three six mule teams, are always on hand to deliver Lumber to any part of the county, where a wagon can run, at the shortest possible notice.

D. WHITE & CO.,
By G. GREES, Agent.

GUNSMITHING.

RIFLES, FOWLING PIECES, AND COLT'S PISTOLS,

Will be repaired by the undersigned in a neat and substantial manner, upon short notice.

Shop situated on Charles, between 4th and 5th streets, Mariposa.

j19-1y J. N. THOMAS.

El Dorado Hotel,

RESTAURANT,

AND

COFFEE SALOON,

On Charles, between 3rd and 4th streets,

Mariposa.

THE PROPRIETORS of this well known establishment would inform the public that they have moved into their NEW HOUSE, opposite the old El Dorado, where they will be happy to meet all of their old friends. They believe they can furnish board, better and cheaper, than any other Hotel in Mariposa.

The choicest WINES and best LIQUORS in the country, will be kept at the BAR.

To travelers and persons visiting Mariposa, they offer accommodations not to be met with at any other Hotel in town.

SOUPS and STEWS of all descriptions, and all kinds of GAME constantly on hand.

All kinds of CAKES made on the shortest notice.

For the benefit of the public, they will keep their house open until 1 o'clock in the morning.

Board per week, $10. Single Meals, $1. Extras charged for accordingly. Payment to be invariably in advance.

AUGUSTE PUJOL & CO.,
ag 18-3m Proprietors.

Doctors Thos. Payne & W. W. Ward

HAVE associated themselves in the practice of their Profession. Office, on Main street, where one or both may be found at all hours.

Mariposa, April 18th, 1854. ap21-3 6*

Cunningham's HOTEL.

SITUATED at the Junction of the Agua Frio and Mariposa Roads, offers inducements to Travellers, Teamsters, and others, rarely met with in the Mines. The

BOARDING AND LODGING DEPARTMENT

is under the superintendence of a Lady of acknowledged abilities. Attached to the House is a DEEP WELL, of most excellent Water, and numerous Shade Trees render this place one of the most pleasant locations in the county. Our Table, Liquors, and Beds, will be found inferior to none, and prices to suit the times.

DAVID CUNNINGHAM.

Cunningham's Ranch, Aug. 21, 1854. au26 tf

Mariposa Advertisements.

Mrs. S. A. Prior,

DRESS-MAKER AND GENERAL SEAMSTRESS,

☞ HOUSE ON BULLION STREET, ADJOINING THE HOSPITAL. ☜

MARIPOSA.

N. D. FAIRBANKS. T. C. OSBORN.

Fairbanks & Osborn,

WHOLESALE DEALERS IN

Groceries, Provisions, Liquors, &c.,

BRICK BLOCK ON MAIN STREET,

Between El Dorado and Hunter sts.

ag 18-tf STOCKTON.

John H. Neale, Manufacturing JEWELER.

THE SUBSCRIBER HAVING RETURNED FROM THE "States," and resumed his old business

On Main Street, next door above Adams & Co.'s Express Office,

Would inform his old friends and the public generally, that he is now prepared to make and repair all kinds of

JEWELRY,

REPAIR WATCHES, AND TUNE AND REPAIR MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS, OF ALL KINDS,

In a workmanlike manner and on reasonable terms.

A splendid assortment of QUARTZ ROCK, highly polished, on hand, suitable for Brooches, Pins, Rings, Studs, Cane Heads, &c.

☞ Don't forget, next door above Adams & Co.'s office. Mariposa, June 9th, 1854.

ju 9-tf JOHN H. NEALE.

C. D. O'SULLIVAN. WM. F. CASHMAN.

SULLIVAN & CASHMAN,

Main Street, Mariposa,

FEELING grateful for the patronage they have received, now inform their friends and the public generally, that they have recently made arrangements in the

Atlantic States,

to receive their Goods direct from

New York and Boston.

They have also erected a large and commodious Warehouse adjacent to their present Store, where will be found the largest assortment of Goods ever before in Mariposa.

Wholesale Buyers

are particularly invited to give us a call, and examine our Goods, as we are determined to sell as low as can be had from

Stockton and San Francisco.

The same advantages are to be had at our Store at

Coultersville,

On Maxwell's Creek.

m17-tf

Attention!!

I. KRAFT informs his old customers, and the public in general, that he has taken the well known stand of

POSNER & CO.,

On Main street, opposite the Franklin Boarding House,

and having received a Fresh supply of

FINE SUMMER AND OTHER CLOTHING, BOOTS, SHOES, HATS, LADIES' GOODS, &c.,

is now ready and willing to wait on all who may favor him with a call, and supply them with the best articles at prices to suit the times.

As Cheap as the Cheapest, and as Good as the Best!

Mariposa, June 2, 1854.

ju2-tf I. KRAFT.

FRANKLIN HOUSE,

STILL IN THE ASCENDENCY!!

THE UNDERSIGNED takes pleasure in announcing to his old friends and the public generally, that he has re-leased the above well known House, for the purpose of keeping a

HOTEL

AND

BOARDING HOUSE,

where strangers will find all the comforts of a First Class Hotel.

THE TABLE

will be supplied with the best the market affords.

Meals, Oyster Stews, &c.,

can be obtained at all hours.

Neatness and quietness will at all times be preserved.

Boarding by the week on the most reasonable terms.

Private rooms neatly fitted and furnished.

THE BAR

will be supplied with the choisest Liquors of all kinds, and the best Cigars.

FRANK WILLIAMS.

Attached to the above Hotel is an excellent STABLE, where animals will be fed on the best of hay and grain, and will be cleaned and brought up at the shortest notice. Saddle horses to let m24-tf

WHITTIER'S HOTEL,

LOWER AGUA FRIO,

Re-Opened.

THE subscriber begs leave to inform his friends and the public generally, that he has Re-Opened the above

WELL KNOWN HOTEL,

for the accommodation of all who may favor him with a call.

THE BAR AND TABLE need no comments, as they will be, as heretofore, unrivaled by any in the County.

Attached to the Hotel is a superior

BILLIARD TABLE.

Stabling for animals on the most reasonable terms.

o6-3m JOS. H. WHITTIER, Proprietor.

Removal.

THE UNDERSIGNED, having removed to the UPPER FERRY, known as his old place of business, respectfully informs the public that he has completely renovated and refurnished the House throughout, and is prepared to accommodate all who may favor him with a call, in the best manner and at reasonable rates. The Table and Lodging Departments will be found as good as any in the country. Good Stabling for animals.

JOHN PHILLIPS.

Merced River, Sept. 8, 1854. sep8 4t

Freight Reduced!

FROM SAN FRANCISCO TO STOCKTON.

ON and after this date, the Freight by the Company's Steamers is reduced to

FIVE DOLLARS PER TON,

until further notice.

Office of the California S. N. Co.,
San Francisco, Oct. 1st, 1854.

R. CHENERY, President.
o6-2m H. N. SQUIRES, Vice President.

Legal Notices.

SHERIFF'S SALE FOR TAXES—Notice is hereby given that I will proceed to sell for Taxes before the Court House door in the town of Mariposa, on Saturday the 30th day of December A. D. 1854, the following property to wit: certain real estate formerly owned by or known as the Alvarado Grant, and more recently claimed by John C Fremont by right of purchase, lying and being situated within the boundaries of the Chowchillas Sierra Nevada, the Merced, and the San Joaquin. I will proceed to sell the said property in lots to contain two acres each, and to have them surveyed by the county surveyor, and numbered before the day of sale, the survey to be made on the waters of the Mariposa and Agua Frio creeks, and a sufficiency of said claim will be surveyed and sold to satisfy the amount of taxes due thereon, which is Eight thousand five hundred dollars, together with all cost that has or may accrue.

I will also sell on the same day and at the same place, for taxes, certain other real estate known as the property of the Quartz Rock Mariposa Gold Mining Co., and situated on Maxwell's creek, some 30 miles N. West from the town of Mariposa, and about one mile south of Coulterville, consisting of a Quartz Mill, Dwelling House and a large quantity of valuable mining machinery. A sufficiency of said property will be sold to satisfy the Taxes due thereon, which is five hundred and thirty-four dollars, together with all cost that has or may accrue, terms of sale cash. This 4th day of December A. D. 1854. J. BOLING Sheriff of Mariposa Co.

Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the co-partnership heretofore existing between L. FRANKL & CO., in Mariposa and Carson Creek, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. L. Frankl, who continues the business in Mariposa, as before, is authorized to receive all the debts due the late firm

L. FRANKL,
MAYER S. ASCHHEIM,
JULIUS SALOMONSKY.

Mariposa, March 30th, 1854. m31-tf

Notice.

THIS is to certify that NEWELL & CO., are no longer Agents for us in Stockton or the Southern Mines, and have no right to use our name in any matter. The business will hereafter be conducted by us on our own account. ADAMS & CO.

Stockton, March 11, 1854. m31-tf

Dr. D. Burbank,

PRACTICAL DENTIST,

WOULD call the attention of his friends, and the inhabitants of San Francisco and vicinity to his office, where they can have all Dentist Operations, whether SURGICAL OR MECHANICAL, done in a style that cannot be excelled or even equalled by any Operator in this City or Country.

DR. B. would say to those wishing Artificial Teeth, that he is now prepared to manufacture and insert

BLOCK GUM TEETH,

which for natural appearance, beauty, and durability, is superior to any thing before used in this place.

Persons wishing to have Teeth filled, will find that Dr. B.'s operations are not excelled by any other Dentist in the city. The greatest pains will be taken to make the Filling permanent.

To those wishing Teeth Extracted, he has always met with the greatest success in removing carious teeth and fangs.

Chloroform and Ether from the best manufactory in the States, and used with great care.

Dr. B. would further state that with his mechanical skill and practical knowledge of Dentistry, he feels confident he can satisfy the most fastidious. Call and see for yourselves.

All operations warranted, and at reduced prices. Examinations and advice free.

OFFICE—Express Building, corner of Montgomery and California streets, No. 3, second floor, over Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Banking House. sep1-tf

A. W. Jee's STORE,

Mormon Bar, at the Junction of Mariposa and Stockton Creeks.

THE Subscriber has on hand a complete assortment of

PROVISIONS, GROCERIES, LIQUORS,

AND MINING TOOLS.

Also various descriptions of useful articles, which he offers for sale at the market price.

ARTHUR W. JEE.

o20-3m Mormon Bar, Mariposa Creek.

FRANKLIN

Livery Stable!

HAVING re-fitted the Large and Comfortable Stable attached to the "FRANKLIN HOUSE," I am prepared to attend to the great rush which I expect will result from this announcement.

MR. C. SIMPSON, an experienced Ostler, will always be on hand at the Franklin House to take charge of animals, and provide for their wants.

Horses taken on Livery at reasonable rates, and Saddle Horses to Let at all times.

N. B. Don't be afraid to overrun me with Custom as I am prepared to accommodate as many animals as can be found on a Mexican Ranch, and besides I don't feed the same grain and hay to a dozen different animals, but give them a "big feed," and charge almost nothing for it. Mariposa, Oct. 3, 1854. FRANK WILLIAMS.

o6-tf Franklin House Stables.

BEAR VALLEY DEPOT.

SIMPSON & HAMMATT,

WOULD announce to their friends and the mining community of this county, that they are permanently located in the town of Simpsonville, and now prepared to furnish their customers with

MEAT, PROVISIONS, GROCERIES, LIQUORS, QUEENSWARE, &c.,

of the best quality, and at the lowest rates.

Their stock is entirely new and embraces superior

Ham, Beef, Pork, Bacon;
Lard, Flour, Tea, Coffee;
Sugar, Potatoes, Barley, Rice;
Molasses, Syrups, Dried Fruit;
Preserves, Pickles, Brandy, Gin;
Whisky, Rum, Port Wine;
Claret Wine, Sherry Wine;
Hock Wine, Madaria Wine;
Clothing, Blankets, Drilling &c.

Together with every description of Miners' Tools, &c.

HAMMATT & SIMPSON,
Large Frame House.
feb10-tf Main street, Simpsonville.

☞ THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the EMPIRE STATE QUARTZ MINING COMPANY, for the election of Trustees and officers, will be held on the Third Tuesday of November inst., at the office of Alfred Wheeler, No. 92 Merchant street, San Francisco.

†10-2t ALFRED WHEELER, President

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General Commission Merchants,

Washington street, between Battery and Sansome, San Francisco.

ALWAYS on hand a full assortment of HARDWARE, GLASS-WARE, PROVISIONS, BOOTS AND SHOES, and GENERAL MERCHANDISE, selected expressly for the California market, on the most reasonable terms. feb2-tf

BUTTER, LARD AND CHEESE.

At No. 81 Clay street, above Front,

SAN FRANCISCO.

400 FIRKINS new June Orange Co. BUTTER,
200 do do do Goshen do
150 do do do Delaware do
100 do do do Chakauque do
100 casks choice do do, in 22lb kitts;
2,600 lbs Butter in 10, 20 and 50 lbs kegs;
15,000 lbs Cheese in tins, best ever imported to this market;
150 cases refined Lard in Small tins;
100 tierces and bbls Leaf Lard.

Also, Ex-clipper ship "Eagle"—
65 firkins choice selected Butter for family use.

The above lot of BUTTER has been selected by myself in New York, and shipped by me expressly for my own trade, and will, I think, be found on examination superior to any offered in this market, and will be sold at the lowest market rates. WILLIAM B. WIER.

m16tsm 81 Clay street above Front.

Joseph M. Brown & Co.,

IMPORTERS AND JOBBERS OF HARDWARE, Metals and Mining Tools of every description. No. 81 California street, Empire Block, San Francisco.

☞ Country Merchants will find at our store the most complete stock of the above Goods in this State, and on the most reasonable terms. m10-3m

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MARIPOSA:

FRIDAY MORNING, DEC. 15. 1854.

☞ MR. JOHN E. METSON, Mail Carrier between this place and Sonora, is hereby authorised to receive any advertisements, job work, subscriptions, or moneys intended for the Mariposa Chronicle.

☞ DAVID W. BUCK, No. 142 Clay Street, is our authorised Agent in San Francisco.

BEAR VALLEY AGAIN.—The store of Messrs. Simpson & Co. at Bear Valley, was broken into on Saturday night last, and robbed of a valuable gold watch and other effects, amounting to about $250.

On the same night, the store of an Italian, near Messrs. Simpson & Co's., was also broken into and upwards of $450 worth of valuables carried off.

Two strange Mexicans, who disappeared on the night of the robbery, are suspected, but no clue to their whereabouts has yet been discovered.

The same evening, previous to the robbery, a number of Chilenos and Mexicans had a fight at a fandango house, during which, a number were badly frightened, and one "geaser" shot througd the neck. Great place, that!

FAVORS. Wells Fargo & Co. have as usual, furnished us through the week with full files of California exchanges, including a complete file of the Masonic *Record*.

To Mr. Gardner and Mr. Stelle, we also acknowledge our indebtedness for favors.

PERSONAL. Among the arrivals in town during the last two weeks, are those of Dr. Boyce and lady, and J. M. Van Dyke, Esq., fresh from a visit to the "old house at home." We were right glad to see their familiar faces again, and hope they will leave us no more.

We were also gratified with visits from Mr Van Sickle, the gentlemanly and efficient agent of Wells Fargo & Co., in Stockton, and Mr. John L. Smith, formerly Deputy Sheriff of this county.

"Q. Jr."—We would like to accept that invitation to a Christmas dinner, and think we could give a good account of ourselves, as we have been dieting on "slapjacks" for a couple of weeks, but we really don't like to trust ourselves so far from home. Couldn't you send up a *goose* or two by the Stage?

By some means or other, "Mustang's" letter reaches us in the almost incredibly short space of eight days—distance about thirty miles! hurrah for old Mother Campbell and the Post Office Department.

THE STATE PRISON.—Capt. Boling recently took down the escaped convict who was arrested at Agua Frio, not long since, and the agent—in S. Francisco—of the State Prison managers, refused to pay the expense of taking the prisoner down, or give any satisfaction, and Sheriff Boling we are informed, very properly set the fellow free.

The management of the present State Prison Speculating Association, is fast becoming notorious, not only for the insecurity of convicts, but for the carelessness anh indifference manifested by the managers in the re-capture of prisoners who have, as it were, almost been permitted to walk off at their leisuac.

Instances are given in the San Francisco papers of escaped convicts being seen walking the streets unmolested, the officers not being willing to arrest them and pay all expenses besides.

From the introduction into the Legislature of the first bill for the establishment of a State Prison, to the present time, the whole subject has been one of corruption and speculation.

Our next Legislature will have a fine opportunity to distinguish themselves by investigating and reforming the entire institution; and we hope they will spare from their usual log-rolling duties, time sufficient to correct or abolish this great nuisance.

We think that our correspondents, "Jerry" and "Mustang," are rather needlessly alarmed concerning the rumored defection of Mr. Flournoy from the Gwin ranks. We have heard the report referred to by them a number of times, but consider it nothing more than an idle story; and shall continue so to believe, until we have something more substantial than rumor to the contrary.

MARIPOSA LODGE No. 24, F. & A. M.—At the annual election, held on the 2nd inst., the following officers were chosen for the ensuing year: S. A. Merritt, W. M.; O. M. Dickinson, S. W.; J. N. Thomas, J. W. W. A. King, Sec.; J. F. Mc Namara, Treas. C. Walcott, S. D.; S. Ashworth, J. D.; J. D. Creighan, Tyler. Installation, Dec. 27th.

WORKED OUT.—At Smith's Bar, gold is still found by those who work for it, although this place has been pronounced "worked out" every year since '50.

Last week, Messrs. Broadhead & Co. (three men) took out of their claim on this bar, but a few dollars less than 50 ounces.

We saw yesterday a beautiful specimen of rich quartz from the celebrated Jenkins Vein on Missouri gulch, now being worked by Messrs. Holmes & Alexder. The piece would prbably weigh about two pounds, and was variously estimated to contain from $10 to 50 dollars.

EARTHQUAKE.—The Evening News says that the shock of an earthquake was felt in San Francisco, on Monday morning, the 11th inst., about 4 o'clock. The shock is represented to have been quite severe at the Mission Dolores, and in some portions of the city, created considerable alarm.

[CORRESPONDENCE OF THE MARIPOSA CHRONICLE.]

Special invitation—Empire City Improvements—Stanislaus County taxes—French Bar—Mrs. Sharp's School—Talbot's Mill, etc. etc.

Empire City, Dec. 13th 1834.

Messrs Editors:—Having a few minutes spare time I send you the proceedings of the Hon. Court of Sessions, which adjourned to day. You will perceive that nothing much of interest has taken place. The Tuolumne river is rising slowly, and for this season, fishing is done over.—Large quantities of Geese, Brants, etc., are now being taken from this county to the mines. If you should not be lucky enough at Mariposa to purchase sufficient for a Christmas dinner, come and spend the holidays with us—for game we will give you antelope, Deer, Ducks, Geese, Brants, Quail, Rabbit and Coon—how will that suit?

Our town is steadily going ahead, but it cannot be expected to grow a great deal now before spring. A few weeks ago not a drop of Alcohol could be bought at this place; but now, alas, how the mighty have fallen—whiskey shops are the order of the day. This morning a new coffee-house was opened by your old friend Jim Sigler, who will do a good business in that line.

The amount of taxable property returned by the Sheriff is $600,000—a pretty good sum when you take into consideration that our taxes are only $1 and 15c, on the $100. Were our taxes as high as they are in Mariposa County there would be more collected for taxes in this county than in Mariposa.

I had almost forgotten to mention the extensive immprovements going on at French Bar, in this county. This is the lowest mining Bar on the Tuolumne river, and a few months ago was but little thought of, but at the present time it is more worked and pays better than any bar on this river. There are now over one hundred houses on the bar, and as soon as the water raises a new saw mill will go into operation. The dirt at this place pays best back from the river.

Mrs. Sharp is now teaching a select school about a mile above this place, with but few scholars; but I do hope she may receive sufficient encouragement to enable her to realize some pecuniary benefit from her laudable undertaking. She teaches all the branches of our English education, for the low sum of $26 per month each, boarding etc. included. She proposes, should sufficient encouragement be offered, next spring, to open a female seminary, and but few in our State are more competent to conduct such an institution.

Talbot & Co's. flouring mill above Dickenson's ferry is doing a good business—farmers generally prefering fresh flour to the mouldy and sour flour of foreign importation. Yours forever: Q. JR.

COURT OF SESSIONS.—The December term of the Court of Sessions was held last week and adjourned on Saturday last, not much business of any interest having been before it. Fifteen bills were found by the Grand Jury, but with the exception of the three following, none are yet made public.

People vs. Jeff Howard—Assault and battery—not Guilty.

People vs. J. S Hankins—Grand Larceny—continued on affidavit.

Same vs. same—Robbery—Not Guilty.

It was ordered that all roads which have been, or may hereafter be declared public highways, shall be 60 feet in width.

The road branching from the Mariposa and Colorado road, and leading by Millville and Mc Cann's flat, to Whitlocks at the Quartz mill, was declared a public highway, and Michael Talbott appointed Supervisor.

The auditor was ordered to draw warrants on the Building fund in favor of Fox & Shriver for all moneys in the treasury belonging to said fund, and thereafter, whenever the sum of $300 and not exceeding the sum of $9,000 shall accumulate, not otherwise appropriated.

Our Empire City correspondent informs us privately, that he intends sowing about ten acres of wheat jus to get his hand in. We would advise him to finish his "wild oats" before he turns his attention to wheat!

POST OFFICES.—Now that Post Offices have been established at Hill's Ferry and Oriflimbo, we suppose the wants of the southern part of this county and Tulare will be attended to.

DISTRICT JUDGE INDICTED.—Judge W. P. Barbour, says the S. F. Chronicle, has been indicted in Marysville by the Grand Jury, for assault with a deadly weapon with intent to commit bodily injury upon the person of O. P. Stidger, Esq. Judge Barbour petitioned for a change of venue, because he says that the people of Yuba are so much prejudiced against him that he cannot have a fair trial there. The Judge who prays for a change of venue in such a case is unfit for the office.

ANOTHER COMMUTATION.—We learn from the State Journal that Governor Bigler commuted the sentence of Stewart, who was sentenced to be hung for killing a man in Trinity county, to ten years in the State Prison.

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE.—The Stockton Argus hints that A. C. Bradford, Esq., editor of the Republican, is a candidate for the Secretaryship of the Senate. The gentleman held the same office during the session of '52.

NAPIER LOTHIAN.—This veteran musician died in San Francisco on the 12th inst. He was the founder and for many years leader of the celebrated Lothian's Brass Band in New York City.—

Millerton, Dec. 12th 1854.

Messrs. Editors:—

As the time approaches for the Session of the Legislature which is to determine who shall represent the interests of California in the United States Senate, for the six years commencing on the fourth of March 1855 the citizens of our community are becoming extremely anxious, and will look for the result of the Senatorial election with much solicitude.

The sentiment of our population is almost unanimous in favor of the re-election of Dr. Gwin to an office which he has filled with such advantage to the interests of California, and in which, his course has evinced the possession of the best qualities of the Statesman and Legislator, both for this State and the Union. Of the Whigs who cast their votes at this precinct at the last election, it is confidently believed, that the largest portion would prefer the re-election of Dr. Gwin over any other competitor—whether whig or democrast.

A rumour has reached us that one of the representatives from this county—Mr. Flournoy—is regarded, out of the county, as in favor of McDougall, and opposed to Dr. Gwin—This gains no belief here, as Mr. Flournoy was very decided in this place and vicinity in the expression of his unwavering preference for Dr. Gwin; and he urged upon the whig friends of Dr. Gwin his claim to their votes, on the grounds that thus would they most effectually carry out their wishes in the Doctor's favor, for as he properly observed—the true struggle would be in the democratic caucus, where of course, no whig member could gain admittance; and hence, however friendly to the election of Mr. Gwin, could not as effectually aid in securing that gentleman's election as a democratic supporter could. Recollecting these repeated and emphatic expressions on the part of Mr. Flournoy, the voters of this precinct do not doubt that he will be found among Dr. Gwin's warmest, most cordial and efficient friends and supporters.

The miners are doing about as usual here, we have had very little rain and the water is still low in the river. The inhabitants here are much rejoiced to hear that judge Lynch has made his appearance in Mariposa, and hope he will pay an official visit over the county, as his presence is much required.

The Indian reservation on the Fresno is progressing rapidly. Considerable has already been accomplished, and the Indians seem to be more than usually disposed to industry. The Agent and other gentlemen in charge there spare neither time or trouble in their endeavors to instruct them in farming, and to reclaim them from their miserable state of degradation.

Hoping I have not intruded too much upon your patience, I remain JERRY

CARSON VALLEY.—*The* Miners Advocate has the following remarks on the proposed annexation of Carson Valley to the State of California

The citizens of Carson Valley, through an agent sent to Washington, will apply to Congress for annexation to the State of California, this winter. They are at so great a distance from Salt Lake, the seat of government of Utah Territory, that they receive but little advantage of any kind at the hands of the authorities. To bring a suit for the recovery of even a small sum of money, they are compelled to travel almost a thousand miles.

There can be no valid objection raised against annexing the Valley to California; indeed, it would be advantageous, as tending to increase communication, and in that manner would evnetuate in improvements of the road across the mountain—a very desirable object. We trust that our delegation at Washington will give the matter their energetic attention, and if possible, enable the people of Carson Valley to accomplish their desires.

TOBACCO.—We have been shown, says the Union Democrat, a specimen of tobacco grown this season on the ranch of Capt. S. S. Turner and nephew, which will compare favorably with that raised in the Old Dominion—and some say it is equal to the best Cuba leaf from the far-famed "Vuelta de Abajo." We are satisfied that tobacco growing will prove a profitable investment for California farmers, and we trust the time is not far distant when the trade in this article will be turned the other way. *Tobacco* grows luxuriently wherever it has been planted in this county, and will yield double the quantity to the acre that is obtainable in the old tobacco growing States. *The* sample shown us is from Cuba seed. The captain, who has had much experience in tobacco growing, is delighted with his success this season and next year will enter more extensivly into its cultivation.

TUOLUMNE LODGE No. 8, F & A. M.—ELECTION OF OFFICERS.—An election of officers, sais the Sonora Herald, took place in this Lodge last Saturday night, when the following were chosen; W. W. Traylor, W. M; Thos. S. Hall, S. W.; E. Wertheimer, J. W.; R. L. Myrick, Sec'y: A. Green, Treasurer: J. W. Purdy, S. D; I. N. Ward, J. D.; M. Marks, *M* Hanover, Stewards; Rev. M Evans, Chaplain; Wm. A. Burt, Tyler.

COLUMBIA LODGE No. 28.—On Thursday evening last the following officers were chosen for the ensuing Masonic year: Dr. Campbell, W. M.; Jas. A. Jackson, S. W.; Jas. W. Coffroth, J. W.; J. Heckendorn, Sec'y; Edgar Mills, Treas.; A. Van Amoringe, S. D.; A. A. Hunnewell, J. D.; J. C. Floyd, Tyler. *Sonora Herald.*

ARRIVAL OF THE CORTES.

One week Later from the Atlantic.

The Elections, &c.

The Cortes, arrived at San Francisco, on the 8th inst, bringing 245 passengers, of whom 100 are females.

SIEGE OF SEVASTOPOL.—The details which we have received respecting the progress of the siege operations are gathered from two sources—the Russian as well as the French official organs.

The latest intelligence received by the French government, from the Crimea, brings the siege operations down to the 20th October. It states that the English had blown up the outer fortifications on the left, whilst the French silenced the quarantine fort on the right. *The* loss of the allies in this affair is variously stated but it is supposed to be about 100. In the three days from the commencment of the bombardment, on the 17th, they lost altogether about 100 killed and 100 wounded. In a letter from Varna these statements are confirmed, with the addition that the land batteries had made a breach, and that the allies were only waiting for a second breach, in order to storm the fortifications.

The Russian accounts tell a different story. Up to the night of the 20th, Prince Menschikoff states that the damage caused to the fortifications was trifling, that the fire of the besiegers was returned with success, that the fire of the enemies ships had not been renewed, and that a part of the reserve had arrived, the remainder being on its way. A dispatch received by the Russian embassy at Vienna confirms this statement, and a letter from Odessa, dated the 25th of October, affirms that up to the 23d nothing decisive had occurred. Between these conflicting statements we are justified in concluding that the siege operations thus far have made but little progress.

A Russian despatch says, the Russians had made a successful sortie, and destroyed a French battery of eleven guns and eight mortars. Lord Cianricarde's son (Lord Dunkellin) was taken prisner.

The two youngest sons of the Czar, have been sent to take active service in the army.

Ostentatious preparations are being made in England for the siege of Constadt which, it is stated, will open the spring campaign.

EXPULSION OF SOULE FROM FRANCE.—The London correspondent of the N. Y. Times gives the following account of the expulsion of Mr. Soule, from France.

Mr. Soule, having spent two days in London, set out last Tuesday for Madrid via France. On his arrival at Calais, he was asked to show his passport. Having done so, he was told he must leave the country by the next steamer, and that he would not be allowed in the meanwhile to go anywhere out of Calais, being in fact placed under surveillance.

"There must be a mistake, sir," said our Minister; "do you know who I am?"

"There is not the slightest mistake sir," was the reply; "you are Mr. Soule, the Ambassador of the United States of America at the Court of Spain; and I have orders not to let you pass"

"Where are your orders, sir?" asked Mr Soule.

"This is no buisness of yours, sir; these orders are for me, and I am acting upon them," said the commissary.

Mr. Soule returned to London.

Mr. Mason—the news of the Calais outrage having reached him—went to the foreign office and wished to see M Drouyn de l'Huys immediately. He was left waiting full two hours. Admitted at last he remarked, first of all, upon his tardy reception. Some apologies were made, but in a tone and manner that convinced Mr Mason that he had been kept waiting purposely. He dropped that matter, however, and passed to the object of his official call, and asked the reason why Mr. Soule had not been permitted to pass through France en route to Spain.

"Well," said M. Drouyn de l'Huys, in a very impertinent tone, "there are reasons for that." Being pressed for these reasons, Mr. Mason was told there were three of them:

1. *The* treatment of Mr. Dillon, French Consul in California

2 The letter of Mr. Sanders to the French people.

3 Cuba!

The two Ministers parted very much excited, and Mr. Mason was fully prepared to ask for his passports. He sent, however the special messenger to Mr. Buchanan before he decided on that step.

ATLANTIC ITEMS.

The State elections in New York, Wisconsin, Michigan, and New Jersey, were held on the 7th November, and resulted disastrously to the administration. Seymour of New York, the Liquor candidate is probably elected, but the Whigs will have a majority in the legislature. Seymour's majority over Ullman, the Know Nothing candidate is upwards of 21,000

The Democratic candidate for Mayor of the City of New York, Fernando Wood, is elected by a majority of 1,351, over J. W. Barker, Know Nothing.

The riot at Williamsburg began on election day, the 7th of November, because a deputy sheriff chalenged the vote of an Irishman. The fight became general, turned into a riot, lasted several days, twenty persons were wounded, three or four mortally; and at last the military were called out. Designs were formed on each side to attack the churches of the others.

Dr. Graham, convicted of murder in the third degree for killing Col. Loring at the St Nicholas Hotel, New York, was on the 10th of November sentenced by Judge Mitchell of the Supreme Court, to seven years imprisonment in the State Prison at Sing Sing.

Accounts from Texas state that the Governor of that State has refused to receive the stock offered by Mr. Walker and King, as a deposit to secure the Pacific Railroad contract, and the project is considered a failure.

The Austin Times states that the Secretary of war had countermanded the mustering of the State Rangers, but the Governor had, nevertheless, determined to muster the companies at the expense of the United States

Charles S. *T.* Burke, the actor, died at Florence's Hotel, N. Y., Nov. 10th, aged 32 years.

A company of dragoons han an encounter with some Indiens, in which they lost seven men and all their horses

General Houston was organizing the Know Nothing party throughout the State.

Abraham G. Mayers, of Arkansas, has been appointed Indian Agent for New Mexico, to fill a vacancy which has, for some time existed there.

Solon Borlood, of Greytown memory has settled down at Little Rock, Ark.

A Boston paper says of the 151 members elected to the House of Representatives of Maine, there is reason to believe that between 80 and 90 belong to the order of Know Nothings.

Mrs. Alexander Hamilton died in Washington City, Nov. 9th.

There was much excitement in Cincinnatti on the 8th of November, caused by the stoppage of several banks.

Nothing further has been heard of the boats of the Arctic

The yellow fever had appeared and was raging with much violence at Atakupas and Opelousas, La.

The steamers Daniel Webster and Prometheus are about to be placed on the route between New Orleans and San Juan del Norte. The Prometheus left on her first trip on the 29th ult.

The sales of public lands this year will exceed 6,000,000 acres; a larger quantity than has been sold in any one year for fifteen or eighteen years.

[CORRESPONDENCE OF THE MARIPOSA CHRONICLE.]

Thomas Flournoy and the Senatorial Question—Farming—Seed Wheat—Important Discovery—City Mill—New Road to San Jose—Vegetables—Mob Law—Rain etc.

MERCED RIVER. Dec. 5th 1854.

Messrs Editors:—Not having a great deal to say, I shall say but little on the present occasion, but like the Irishman when he was going to be hung, I shall speak my mind freely. We have no political log rolling or wire-pulling in this section, being so far away, and out of the road, that it is not worth the while of *great* political Statesmen to visit us. By the way, it is rumored here, that *Thomas*, surnamed Flournoy is going it, head and tail for McDougall. Can you inform the people of this region as to the truth of this? I cannot believe it myself, for I know that he pledged himself for Mr. Gwin as unquestionedly as a candidate before the people could do, and it cannot be possible that he would *vote against* Gwin. Much less *work against him*. We have it here that he (Flournoy) has said that he would vote for Gwin, because he pledged himself to do so, but that his *whole influence* would be given to McDougall. Perhaps it's all right—but let either one of the delegates—from Mariposa—say that *he* will not support Wm M Gwin for the U S Senate, and he will receive the largest petition that has ever been sent from this county, asking him to resign.

Farmers have now commenced their fall seeding, and since the great discovery made by "Lower Merced," that "small wheat will not make as white flour, as clean wheat," the farmers are paying a good deal of attention to their seed. Good seed wheat is fairly commanding a good price. Sufficient attention was not paid last year by the farmers generally in selecting good clean wheat, but this year, (and it is all owing to the above wonderful discovery of your correspondendt from this section) the errors of last year will be obviated.

"*The* City Mill" now being erected by Dr. Dickinson on the river, is approaching completion, and will be one of the best mills in our county. Too long have the people had to put up with imported flour, not to see the benefit that must accrue to them by having good grist mills erected in our county.

Judge Marvin, Dr. Banks, Mr. Ward, and others, from this and Stanislaus county have returned, and report a direct wagon road practicable from San Jose to this valley, across the coast range, and I hope it will not be long before the work will be commenced, as it certainly will tend to reduce the price of all kinds of produce. It cannot be denied that however good this valley may be for cereal grain, it will not produce good vegetables. There may be some who doubt this—let them prove to the contrary.

The feelings of the people here, are universally in favor of the action of THAT MOB. How in the name of common sense any person can call the congregation of a thousand American Citizens, and their taking the law into their own hands, and hanging a murderer, A MOB, I don't know. Who is it that makes our laws?—Is it not the people themselves through their representatives? Justice in the case of Cowin was too slow, and what guarantee had the people that it would not have been too slow in the case of Jack Roarke! *Vox Populi vox Dei.*

Every person in this neighborhood is anxiously waiting for rain, and I hope it will come soon, if for nothing more than to stop the "consarned" growling that is going on.

As most all correspondents to newspapers give some name at the end of their letters, perhaps I had better do likewise; but I don't want you to omit my title, which I received at the Saltpetre University, from the Rt Rev. Dr. Bourax, D. D. M. D.

T. MUSTANG, S. P.

RUSSIAN PRIVATEER.—It is now pretty generally understood, says the S. F. Sun that the Russian ship Kamschatka, which arrived in our harbor a few days ago is a regular privateer. She mounts ten heavy guns, and has a well disciplined crew of 120 men. She has been cruising in the Ochotsk sea in search of English and French whalers, some of which, narrowly escaped capture.

THE INDIAN RESERVATION.—The Sacramento Union is informed by Mr John Perry, who has just come down from the Indian Reservation in Colusa county, twenty-five miles west of Tehama, that there are now some nine hundred members of the various tribes from the vicinity, congregated there. They have been industriously employed in tilling the soil, and have already ploughed three hundred acres, which have been sowed with wheat. The Indians are still actively engaged in ploughing and sowing, and other agricultural pursuits.

BIRTHS:

In Mariposa, on the 10th inst., the wife of Mr. William Nichols, of a son.

At Upper Sherlock's, on the 11th inst., the wife of Mr, I. J. Marshall, of a son.

New Advertisements.

Administrator's Notice.

Letters of administration having been granted at the November term of the Probate Court held for Mariposa County, to Roland T. Burford upon the estate of Rufus M. Hankins deceased; Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims or demands against the said Rufus M. Hankins to present them, with the necessary vouchers, to the administrator at his Store in Millerton, on the San Joaquin river, within ten months from the date hereof, for acknowledgement and settlement in due course of administration.

All persons indebted to the said Rufus M. Hankins, deceased, will please make early settlement with the administrator.

RICHARD H. DALY Attorney for
ROLAND T. BURFORD administrator of
RUFUS M. HANKINS.

Mariposa December 11th 1854. d15 4t

STATE OF CALIFORNIA. }
COUNTY OF MARIPOSA. } S. S.

Be it known to whom it may concern, that I Harriet Jane Boyce, wife of Dr. A. D. Boyce, resident of Mariposa in the County and State aforesaid, do, in pursuance of an act to authorize married women to transact business in their own name as sole traders, approved April 15th, A. D. 1854, hereby make known, publish and declare, that from and after the fifteenth day of December A. D. 1854, I intend to transact business in my own name, and on my own account, as sole trader; the said business in my name will be a general Apothecary and Drug business, and will be conducted by me at Mariposa, in the County and State aforesaid; and I do further declare and make known that the amount of capital invested in the said business by me is less than five thousand dollars.

Given under my hand at Mariposa this the 11th day of December A. D. 1854. MRS. HARRIET JANE BOYCE.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA. }
COUNTY OF MARIPOSA. } S. S.

This day personally appeared before me, Richard H. Daly, a Notary Public in and for the county aforesaid, Mrs. Harriet Jane Boyce wife of Dr. A. D. Boyce, known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument or declaration, who acknowledged to me that she executed the same freely and voluntarily, and for the uses and purposes therein mentioned.

Given under my hand and notorial seal hereunto affixed at Mariposa this the 11th day of December A. D. 1854. RICHARD H. DALY, Notary Public for Mariposa County. (L. S.) d15-3t

Executor's Notice.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA. }
COUNTY OF MARIPOSA. }

At the November term 1854, of the Probate Court of the aforesaid county, Letters Testamentary on the estate of Thomas Thorn deceased, were granted to the undersigned. Those having claims against the said Thomas Thorn deceased, are hereby notified to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within ten months from this date, to the undersigned at their places of residence, (Quartzburg, or Tulare County) or the same will be barred. And those indebted to said deceased, will pay promptly to MARY THORN, Executrix, Quartzburg, or JOSEPH TIVY, Executor of Thomas Thorn deceased.

Tulare County Dec. 14th, 1854. d15-4t

Daguerreotypes, FOR $2.

Shew's Daguerreotype Rooms,
HAVE BEEN REMOVED TO THE FIRE PROOF BUILDING
NO. 166 CLAY STREET,
A few doors above Montgomery Street, north side, opposite Dr. Rabes' Building.

MR. SHEW HAS THE SATISFACTION OF ANNOUNCING that he has fitted up a splendid suit of rooms for taking Photographic Pictures, either upon glass, paper or metal plates. Persons who feel interested in the Photographic Art, are invited to call and examine a collection of Daguerreotypes taken upon paper and glass embracing some of the most interesting scenery in history, and possess a brilliancy of tone and distinctness of outline which surpass any heretofore produced on the Pacific coast.

Mr. S. also announces that he has reduced his price to less than one half of his former rates, and is now prepared to take as good pictures for $2 as can be obtained at any other establishment for double that price. Persons who have had poor pictures taken elsewhere, can have them taken over for a trifling expense.

Please remember the number, 166 Clay street, North side a few doors above Montgomery street, and give us a call before purchasing elsewhere.

All California papers please copy one month, and send one copy containing this advertisement.

San Francisco, Nov. 14th, 1854. d8-1m

YE THAT SUFFER,
READ! READ!! READ!!!

DR. PAREIRAS
Great Italian Remedy!

FOR THE CERTAIN AND SPEEDY CURE OF DISEASES OF A PRIVATE NATURE, NO MATTER HOW LONG STANDING, WITHOUT ANY INJURIOUS EFFECT TO THE SYSTEM, OR ANY CHANGE OF DIET.

It Never has Failed—It Cannot Fail to Cure.

THIS Invaluable Specific, first introduced into Pisa some *fifty years* since, soon became so well known as a *certain cure*, that in every town and city, not only on the Continent, but in Great Britian, the demand for it was so *great* its merits so *astounding*, that in less than one year from its introduction it had *supplanted* all other remedies. The Medical Faculty of the principal cities of Europe were compelled to acknowledge its wonderful *mastery* over disease. Proprietors of other Medicine, jealous of its sway, vainly endeavored to stay its onward progress. Like grass before the mower, their efforts fell to the ground; and like fire on the praries, sweeping all before it, its onward march became *triumphant*. It stood forth upon its own merits; a discerning public saw, tried and was convinced of its *magical virtues*. The massive fortune acquired by Dr. Pareiras from the sale of it during the six years he prepared it, alone bore witness to its *miraculous merits*. At the decease of the Doctor, the recipe was bequeathed to his son, who has lately introduced the remedy into the United States. The number of *cures* it has already made are astonishing. *Thousands* and tens of thousands can bear testimony to its efficacy.

ALL WHO USE IT, IT WILL CURE,
With a safety, speed and certainty no other medicine has ever possessed.

RESORT TO NO QUACK NOSTRUMS.
Use a remedy that has been tried for the past *fifty years*, and was never known to fail.

BEWARE OF COUNTERFEITS.
The extensive sale of this wonderful medicine has already caused some person or persons, to palm off upon the unsuspecting, a sprious compound closely resembling the original. Be particular to buy none without the written signature of A. Pareira, M. D. on the outside wrapper of each bottle. All others are counterfeit, and their compounders will be punished with the utmost rigor of the law.

Price Three Dollars per bottle. For sale by D. Babcock, sole Agent for California, Oregon and the Sandwich Islands, to whom all orders must be addressed. A liberal discount made to wholesale dealers.

D. BABCOCK, Wholesale Druggist.
133 Clay street, San Francisco.

List of agents throughout the State.

RICE COFFIN & CO., Druggists, Marysville.
H. K. STARKWEATHER, City Drug Store, Stockton.
W. H. BRUNER, Tuolumne Drug Store, Sonora.
BENJ. SHURTLEFF, Shasta Drug Store, Shasta.
CHILD & WORTHEN, Placerville Drug Store, Placerville.
JUSTIN GATES, Jr. Sacramento City.
Dr. R. W. CARR, Townsville.
Dr. JOHN LAFE, Nevada.
Dr. W. H. GATLIFF, Yreka.
Dr. J. R. WINSTON, Los Angeles.
WHALY & MORSE, San Diego.
GEORGE L. SUCRY, Portland, O. T. d15 3m

MARIPOSA CHRONICLE.

PIERRE SOULE—The following brief sketch of the youth of our present minister to Spain, is from the N. Y Dutchman:—

Pierre Soule was born at Castillon, in the Pyrenees, during the first consulate of Napoleon. His father had risen to the rank of lieutenant-general in the republican armies, but afterward returned to his native mountains, and exercised the office of judge, which was hereditary in his family. Pierre was destined for the church, and in 1816 was sent to the Jesuits' college of Toulouse, where the ho y fathers soon remarked and appreciated his abilities. Young Soule, however, became dissatisfied with his situation and left the college. He was afterwards sent to complete his studies at Bordeaux. At the age of fifteen he took part in a conspiracy against the Bourbons, and the plot having been discovered, he was obliged to take refuge in a little village of Navarre, where he remained for more than a year, following the occupation of a shepherd. He was permitted to return to Bordeaux; but he longed for a more exciting scene of action and accordingly repaired to Paris. Here in conjunction with Barthelemy and Mery, he estadlished a paper advocating liberal republican sentiments. This of course, soon brought him under the authorities and he was put upon his trial.

His advocate, on that ocasion, was a friend named Ledru, who appealed to the clemency of the court in behalf of the prisoner on the score of his youth. This line of defence did not suit the prisoner, who rose from his seat and addressed the court in an impassioned strain denying the criminalty of his opinions, and defending the recitude of his conduct. His eloquence did not save him from St. Pelagie, whence he succeeded with the aid of Barthelemy, in making his escape to England. Disappointed in his expectations of obtaining a situation in Chili, which had been promised him, and finding himself alone in a strange country, wholy ignorant of the language he returned to France. At Havre he met a friend, a captain in the French navy, who advised him to seek an asylum in the United States, and offered him passage in his ship as far as St. Domingo. Soule accepted the proposition, and arrived at Port-au-Prince in September, 1825. From this place he took passage to Baltimore, and finally removed to New Orleans in the fall of 1825.

A communication on the new road from this place to Santa Clara is unavoidably postponed.

MARIPOSA MARKET.

WHOLESALE PRICES CURRENT.

THURSDAY EVENING, Dec. 15, 1854.

FLOUR—Gallego and Haxall, $18 to $20; City Mills $16 to $18 ₩ bbl.
GRAIN—Barley, California, 4 to 4½c; Wheat, 6 to 7c ₩ lb.
CORNMEAL—Sales in half bbls at $7 to $8.
PROVISIONS—Mess Beef in half bbls $17 to $18. Clear Pork barrels $38; do do half barrels, $19.50 to $20. Hams 20c to 22c ₩ lb. Clear Bacon, 20c to 22c ₩ lb.
BUTTER—No. 1 article, 65 to 70c; outside brands 50 to 55c ₩ lb.
SUGAR—No. 1 China, 16c ₩ lb. Pulverized and crushed do. 22c ₩ lb.
SYRUPS—East Boston and Stuarts. $1.50 ₩ gal.
COFFEE—Green Rio and Java, 28@30c ₩ lb.
LARD—In tins 20c ₩ lb; in kegs, 17@18c ₩ lb.
TOBACCO—Grape brand, 38@40c ₩ lb.
TEA—Green Tea in caddies, 90@1.00 ₩ lb; do black, 70@75c ₩ lb.
PICKLES—In kegs, 90c@$1 ₩ gallon.
SHOVELS—Ames' long handled, $18 ₩ doz; do short handled, $10@$12 ₩ dozen.
SHOT—$4@$4.50 ₩ bag.
NAILS—11c ₩ lb.
VINEGAR—80@90c ₩ gallon.
BEANS—Chile (new crop) 11c ₩ lb.
DRIED APPLES—15@16c ₩ lb.
RICE—Carolina No. 1, 14c ₩ lb; China No. 1, 12c ₩ lb.
POTATOES—5 to 6c ₩ lb.
DRILLS—11@11½c ₩ yd by the bale.
LEAD—In bars, 16c ₩ lb.

Mariposa Advertisements.

$50 Reward!

STRAYED or stolen from the Subscriber two mules, one a DARK BROWN MARE MULE, one a LIGHT DUN do. Both marked K on the left side of the neck. The above reward will be paid for Both or $25 each.

W. W. INMAN.

Jacksonville Hill, December 4th 1854. d8 1m*

$20 Reward!

WILL be paid to the finder of a DEPOSIT BOOK of the undersigned with Adams & Co., at Mariposa, which was lost between Mariposa and Quartzburg, on the 14th day of November. Said Book is of no value to any person other than the undersigned.

The above reward will be paid to the finder of said Book, on the delivery of the same to Adams & Co. at Mariposa. d8 tf S. A. MERRITT.

Lost.

BETWEEN Mormon Bar and Mariposa, yesterday morning; a buckskin purse containing $148 in gold coin. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving it at Messrs. Dimond & Co's in Mariposa.

CHANDLER STRATTON.

Mariposa Dec 7th 1854 d8 2t

Dissolution!

THE Copartnership heretofore existing under the firm and in the name and style of Snelling & Brother was dissolved by mutual consent on the 4th of November A. D. 1854. Notice is hereby given that the business will be hereafter conducted by Charles V. Snelling, who is authorized to collect all debts of the old firm.

CHA'S. V SNELLING.
WM. S. SNELLING.

Mariposa December 8 1854. d8 1m*

Look Here!

STEREOSCOPES AND DAGUERREOTYPES.

THE great SHADOW CATCHER of Mariposa having moved his saloon next door to the Sheriff's office (will be found in it daily) and still being desirous of serving the "dear people" of Mariposa and vicinity, earnestly solicits them to give him a call. His light is superior to the one formerly used, particularly to those having weak eyes, which is so common in this country and also for children, which will be presented in the after part of the day. Ladies are recommended to wear dark drapery, always avoiding light blue or white. Having rigged a view instrument, he is ready to go any distance from town, to take mining claims, or landscape scenery, upon very reasonable terms. In his absence the saloon will be carried on by a competent brother.

The Undersigned being desirous of selling a Daguerrean Saloon at Mokelumne Hill which is on wheels, and which is movable any where, will take less than one half its original cost, and the umbra who buys it, if he is not an operator will be made one gratis. Call and see before buying elswhere, you shall have a show certain.

d8 jn D. A. FLECKER.

Notice to Stockholders.

San Francisco, Nov 21st 1854.

THE STOCKHOLDERS of the Empire State Quartz Mining Company are hereby notified that an assessment of THREE DOLLARS per share has been this day levied upon all the stock of the above Company, by the Board of Trustees, payable in thirty days after this date at the office of the undersigned.

All Stock upon which the said assessment shall remain unpaid at that date, will be sold at Auction according to law.

ALFRED WHEELER, Secretary and Treasurer,
98 Merchant St. San Francisco.

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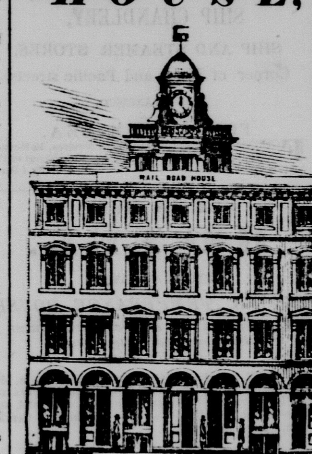
Miscellaneous.

RAIL-ROAD HOUSE,



San Francisco, California

THIS HOUSE is now open for the accommodation of the Traveling Public. For cleanliness, air and comfort it is not surpassed on the Pacific, and one trial is sufficient guarantee for continued patronage.

Attached to the House are two

Restaurants,

One Hundred and Twenty feet long, extending from Commercial to Clay street, and will accommodate Two Hundred persons at one time. The Floors and Tables are all marble, and everything to correspond, and they now have the most complete arrangements for

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner and Tea,

in San Francisco, and will be conducted upon the most liberal terms, being confident that liberality secures patronage.

The Hotel part of the House is kept upon the European Plan.

Barber's Shop and Bath Rooms are attached.

Entrance to the Hotel or Restaurants, 87 Clay street, and 48 Commercial, near Battery.

HALEY & THOMPSON,
n24.3m Rail-Road House.

The Pacific Loan AND SECURITY BANK.

MONEY WILL BE RECEIVED ON DEPOSIT IN SUMS of Ten Dollars and upwards, for which Certificates of Deposit will be issued, Payable on Demand, or at specified times, at the option of the Depositors. If payable on demand, and the money remain on deposit one month they will draw interest of ONE PER CENT. PER MONTH. If deposited for specified times, certificates will be issued bearing ONE AND A HALF PER CENT. PER MONTH interest. Depositors desire to continue their deposits after the certificates fall due, they must be presented for payment and renewed—otherwise interest ceases.

The money Deposited is used only in Loans guaranteed by us, and in all cases amply secured by Mortgages, State, County, and City Stocks, Merchandise and other safe Collaterals, taken in the name of ... Wheeler, Trustees for Depositors with Pacific Loan and Security Bank."

A Register is kept at all times open to ... inspection, in which appear their Names ... certificates issued, and the ... money deposits has been pl... ...ly have the personal security offered ... in addition have the benefit of the ... guaranteed by us, and the facility of knowing what disposition has been made of their deposit.

FREDERICK MARRIOTT
ALFRED WHEELER.

n24 3m No. 98 Merchant street, San Francisco.

BY HENRY S. FITCH & CO.

REAL ESTATE AUCTIONEERS AND LAND AGENTS.

HENRY S. FITCH .... AUCTIONEER.

Howard's Building, No 137 Montgomery street, between Clay and Commercial streets, San Francisco.

HENRY S. FITCH respectfully announces to the public that he has associated with him in business MR. A. MARIUS CHAPELLE and MR. LEOPOLD LOWENBERG—both gentlemen of experience in Real Estate sales.

By this association, we are enabled to transact business in the English, French, German, Spanish and Italian languages; and we have determined, at all public sales of importance to present the property and the bids therefor in the languages named.

Sales of

Real Estate, Vessels, State Bonds, City Scrip, Mining Stock, &c. &c.

made for Administrators, Assignees, Receivers, Mortgagees and others, carefully complying with the forms of law.

Persons desirous of having their property sold at private or public sales, will please hand in description of same, to be entered on the register at their office.

HENRY S. FITCH
A. MARIUS CHAPELLE
feb10 tf LEOPOLD LOWENBERG

TAAFFE, McCAHILL & CO.

San Francisco,

HAVE JUST RECEIVED PER CLIPPER SHIP

EAGLE,

A splendid assortment of very DESIRABLE

FANCY AND STAPLE DRY GOODS,

Comprising almost EVERY ARTICLE in the Dry Good line, which they offer at unusual LOW PRICES, and to which they invite the attention of the CITY and COUNTRY TRADE.

TAAFFE, McCAHILL & CO.,
m3-1m Front street, corner Sacramento.

G. M. HUTTON,

WOOD TURNING AND SCROLL SAWING,

At the Sawing and Planing Mill,

HARD Wood, House and Cabinet Turning. Orders executed with dispatch.

A of variety turned wood on hand. feb10 tf

Mariposa Bath House AND SHAVING SALOON!

Opposite the Franklin House, Mariposa.

THE undersigned, grateful for past patronage would respectfully invite the inhabitants of Mariposa and vicinity, and also travelers and sojourners in this region, who may feel an inclination to take either a warm or cold bath, and get shaven, shorn, and shampooed, or either one of them, to give him a call

j19-1y PHOENIX LANSING

The Merced HOTEL

IS now ready for the reception of visitors, and we respectfully request the public generally to give us a call and examine for themselves.

OUR TABLE

will be supplied with the best the market affords—vegetables of all kinds in abundance, and fresh at the door from our Garden.

OUR BAR

is supplied with the very best Liquors and Cigars to be found in the San Francisco market.

OUR BEDS

will be found clean and comfortable.

The Merced Hotel is one of the most pleasant location between Mariposa and Stockton. Passengers by the Stage will be accommodated with an express wagon to convey them to the depot, and every effort will be made to render the sojourn of travelers and others both pleasant and agreeable.

my26-6m O. SCHROLER & CO.

New Drug Store IN Mariposa.

A. D. BOYCE. *Agent*

HAS constantly on hand a full and fresh supply of

Foreign and Domestic Drugs;
French, English and American Chemicals;
Perfumery and Family Medicines;
Shakers' Herbs and Extracts;
Thompsonian Medicines;

and in fact all things usually to be found in a well stocked establishment.

Physicians can rely upon having their prescriptions ...ly prepared at this place. j19 tf

San Francisco Advertisements.

100 CASES NEW SUGAR CURED HAMS—

50 bbls Billings' Hams;	50,000 lbs No 1 Peruvian Sugar;
50 hhds ex clear Bacon;	30,000 lbs No 1 China Rice;
100 cases ex clear Bacon;	30,000 lbs fresh Chile Beans;
50 hf bbls Mess Pork;	15,000 lbs Leaf Lard 10 and 15 lb tins;
100 hf bbls Clear Pork;	
50 hf bbls Mess Beef;	20,000 lb Green Rio Coffee;
200 hf bbls Dried Apples;	200 bbls and half bbl. crushed Sugar;
300 qr bbls Dried Apples;	
200 kegs E. B. Syrup;	200 hf bbls Corn Meal;
50 hf bbl Goshen Butter;	750 kegs Pickles, 3 and 5 gallons each;
50,000 lbs No 1 China Sugar;	
300 kegs Leaf Lard.	

For sale by R. E. BREWSTER & CO.
o13 tf 85 Front street, corner Clay.

150 DOZEN PAINTED HANDLE BROOMS—

30 cs Peach Tobacco;	500 cs Imp Tea, 1 and 2 lb caddies;
40 cs Fruit and Grape Tobacco;	100 cs Young Hyson, 1 and 2 lb caddies;
60 cs Salt in bags;	
100 bxs Adamantine Candles;	200 cs Olong Tea, ½ lb papr;
500 bxs Sperm Candles;	100 cs Kemps' Oysters;
100 bxs Hill's Soap;	125 cs Kennetts' Oysters;
500 bxs Colgate's Soap;	50 cs Fresh Clams;
100 bxs Colgate's Starch;	100 cs Green Corn;
300 cs fresh Peaches, W. and E.;	100 cs Brandy Cherries;
	150 cs Brandy Peaches;
100 cs W. and E. Fresh Peaches, in glass;	125 cs Sardines, hf & qr bxs;
	100 cs Olive Oil;
200 cs Pie Fruit;	750 cs ass'd Spices, in glass;
150 cs assorted Syrups;	300 bxs Pepper Sauce;
100 cs Jams and Jellies;	250 hf and qr gal Pickles.
50 cs Tomato Catsup;	

For sale by R. E. BREWSTER & CO.,
o13-tf 85 Front street, corner Clay.

Removal.—DR. L. M. DOWWIN, Dentist, has removed from 172 Washington street, to 40 Washington street, in Dr. Stout's Building, between Dupont and Stockton streets, where he is prepared to perform all operations in Dentistry, upon the latest and most approved principles. o13tf

WM. B. SAWYER. SILAS W. JOHNSON.

SAWYER, JOHNSON & CO.,

IMPORTERS AND DEALERS

In Paints, Oils, Window Glass, Turpentine Varnishes, Putty, Brushes, Gold Leaf, Bronse, Artist's colors and tools, &c, &c, &c.

NOS. 103 AND 105 CLAY STREETS,
Between Sansome and Battery streets,
m3-3m San Francisco.

SAMUEL H PRICHARD.

WOULD respectfully offer his services to the Merchants in the Mines, as

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In San Francisco, Office Corner of Sacramento and Battery streets.

All orders sent with the money necessary to pay for them, promptly filled at the lowest prices they can be bought, and the lowest rates of commission.

The Goods will be forwarded by an Agent in Stockton to any part of the Southern Mines.

For business qualifications he is permitted to give the following

REFERENCES:

Dr. Woodward, Agua Frio; Pool & Co., Quartzburg George Branch, Strentzel's Ferry; E. C. Bell County Clerk Mariposa. feb17 tf

JOHN TAYLOR, importer and Jobber of Druggists' Chemical and Confectioner's Glassware, Perfumery Fancy Goods, &c. 130 *Washington street, between Montgomery and Sansome, San Francisco* has on hand a complete assortment of SHOP FURNITURE, and can fit out Drug Stores and Physician's offices at short notice. Also Prescription Vials, Hair Oil and Pomatum Bottles, Funnels, Graduates, Mortars and Pestles, Spatules, Syringes, Corks and Twine. Also a fine assortment of Druggists' Perfumes and Liquor Labels, Combs, Brushes, Perfumery, packed with care. ja 9-3m

ST. CHARLES HOTEL.

Corner of Davis and Washington streets San Francisco, Cal.

HARPER & J. S. MERRITT, Proprietors. The undersigned take pleasure in announcing to the traveling public that they have completed the above spacious and commodious HOTEL, and are now prepared ... their guests ... the great improvements and convenience for travelers in the House warrants them in ... they will receive a liberal patronage. They have ... capable of accommodating over THREE HUNDRED LODGERS. Their Table will be always supplied with the best the market affords and the prices for board will be as reasonable as times will admit.

Its close proximity to the STEAMBOAT LANDING renders this House very desirable for transient visitors and people arriving in the State, and those leaving the States.

☞ There will be a Night Watchman, and Guests can procure Rooms at all hours of the night.

ja 9-3m HARPER & MERRITT, Proprietor.

STORY, REDINGTON & CO.,

IMPORTERS AND WHOLESALE DEALERS IN

Drugs and Medicines.

Chemicals, Perfumery, Fancy Articles, etc San Francisco, Cal.

AGENTS for Osgood's India Cholagogue, Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, Dr. Conine's Gin and Malva, Gr fenberg Co's Medicines, Corbett's Shakers' Sarsaparilla, Dr. Hunt's Life Elixer and Hyatt's Balsam;

HAVE removed to their new store, on the North East corner of Sansome and Merchant streets, No 128 Sansome street, and New Sansome Block, immediately opposite their old stand. j19-tf

SALVATOR ROSA.

IMPORTER, and dealer in all description MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS; Sheet Music, etc, No. 180 Clay street between Kearney and Montgomery, San Francisco. j19

A. C. MESSERVE & CO.

IMPORTERS AND DEALERS,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

IN Upholstery Goods, Paper Hangings, Carpets, &c Fire Proof Store, No. 128 Clay street, above Sansome, San Francisco. feb16

150,000 Worth of Furniture

BRYANT & KINGS

EMPIRE FURNITURE WAREROOMS

180 *Jackson street, San Francisco*

AT very low prices for cash, just received and now opened at the wholesale and retail trade making by far the largest stock ever offered on the Pacific coast, and comprising every variety of rosewood, mahogany, walnut and other kinds of parlor, chamber and office Furniture, together with all kinds of Beds and Bedding.

The attention of dealers in particular is called as well as all who are furnishing hotels, dwellings or offices, as every article we advertise we positively have on hand, making a selection, we flatter our ourselves, that will meet the wants of all.

N. B.—30 complete unbroken invoices ... and see us before purchasing elsewhere j19

NORCROSS' *MILITARY REGALIA,*

Flag, Banner, and Ladies Dress Trimming

EMPORIUM.

SAN FRANCISCO.

MASONIC, ODD FELLOWS', CHAPTER, ENCAMPMENT, and other REGALIA embroidered and made to order in a style that cannot be surpassed by any house in the Atlantic States. Full sets for Lodges and private members constantly on hand. Jewels for Templars, Chapters, Blue Lodges, Odd Fellows' and Encampments.

MILITARY GOODS

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Stocks and dies, auger bitts, trowels;
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Hatchets, hammers, Mexican spurs;
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Coffee mills, letter presses, scales;
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Candlesticks, soup ladles, pitchers;
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Dishes, stands and water pans;
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whereby most of their articles are manufactured, but kept fresh and ALWAYS HOT. By the use of steam they prepare their Coffee, Tea, and Chocolate as required, which make them far superior in quality to any other like establishment in the city.

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100 Choice Philadelphia made Mantels.

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Obelisks, Monuments, Headstones;
Imposing Stones, Table Tops, Centre Tables.

The largest and best assortment in the city.

Italian Marble Mantels of various patterns;
Richly carved Statuary Marble Mantels.

All kinds of lettering done to order.

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Some choice patterns of moulded Architectural Lintels, Red Freestone, &c

We are constantly in receipt of fresh supplies of Mantels and Grates, together with building Fronts, &c. by Clippers from New York, and we are at all times prepared to execute jobs of work on the most reasonable terms.

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Sign of the Marble Obelisk,
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SEALS for County Officers, Notaries and Societies, Express Stamps, Stencil Plates, Brands.

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—ALSO—

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BREWERY ESTABLISHMENT,

MAIN STREET, AGUA FRIO.

HAVE constantly on hand a full supply of PORTER and ALE.

Dealers in their line will please give them a call.

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The Subscriber

Forbids any person to Cut Wood or otherwise trespass on his premises, known as

"CUNNINGHAM'S RANCH,"

at Princeton, on the Stockton Road. He will point out the boundaries at any time to any person wishing him to. He may be found on the premises.

Cunningham's Ranch, October 10, 1854.

o13-3t DAVID CUNNINGHAM.

Franklin House,

CORNER BROADWAY AND SANSOME STREETS,

SAN FRANCISCO

SLOCUM, ROSS & W LTON,
Proprietors.

THE Proprietors take pleasure in announcing to the public that in addition to their former accommodations, they have added to their House a number of ROOMS TO BE APPROPRIATED TO THE USE OF FAMILIES. o8 3m

Miscellaneous.

NOTICE TO THE MILLION!!!

GEO. H. JOHNSON'S

First Premium Pioneer Daguerrean Gallery, San Francisco.

So favorably and extensively known as being the First Premium Gallery on the Pacific, as well as for the SUPERIORITY OF LIKENESSES AND PICTURES, both as to fidelity and tone of artistic finish, has induced the subscriber to give the public a

WARNING AGAINST IMPOSITION!

His establishment is at the Corner of Montgomery and Clay streets, directly opposite Wells' building. Remember it is the

CORNER BUILDING, OVER THE DRUG STORE.

Observe ... of G. H. Johnson, he having no connection with the Johnson, next door to his establishment.

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The greatest wonder of the age, taken with all the latest improvements in the art; being enabled by new and extensive additions to apparatus, to surpass any other artist in this city.

SINGLE, OR FAMILY GROUP PICTURES,

taken in the first style of the art, and put up in any variety of case, or in lockets, breast pins, rings, bracelets, watches, canes, pencils, caskets, christalocopes, or any other known style.

NO CHARGE FOR PICTURES,

if they do not give the most unlimited satisfaction. The public are respectfully invited to call and examine specimens of Pictures in my Gallery. A liberal share of public patronage is solicited.

Perfect satisfaction will be guaranteed.

feb10-tf GEO. H. JOHNSON.

United States.

P. A. BRINSMADE.

HAS removed his office to Sherman's building, No. 146 Montgomery street, San Francisco, where he will continue the prosecution of Claims against the Federal Government, embracing

Claims of the officers and soldiers of Colonel Stevenson's Regiment of New York Volunteers for bounty lands, extra pay and transportation allowances.

Claims of the officers and men who composed the California Battalion of Volunteers, under Lieutenant Colonel John C. Fremont, for bounty lands, arrears of pay, and extra pay.

Claims of the officers, petty officers, seamen and marines, on account of additional compensation for services in the Naval and Revenue service of the United States in the Pacific Ocean, on the coasts of California and Mexico, from 13th of May, 1846, to 1st of March, 1853, provided for by Acts of Congress, approved August 31st, 1852, and March 3d, 1853.

—ALSO—

Claims for indemnity on account of losses occasioned by Indian depredations upon the property of the citizens of the State.

And Claims for advances made to United States Indian Agents, to enable them to negotiate or to execute treaties with the Indian tribes.

MR. BRINSMADE has secured the most reliable and efficient aid in Washington, and claimants may feel sure of the most prompt attention possible.

N. B. He will also give his best attention to Conveyancing in all its branches. feb3-tf

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Taaffe, McCahill & Co.,

SAN FRANCISCO,

HAVE JUST RECEIVED PER STEAMER SIERRA NEVADA,

A select Invoice of

FASHIONABLE SILKS: SUCH AS

Colored Check Silks, New Styles; Black Brocade Silks, Plain Changeable Silks,

And an assortment of

BLACK SILKS, ALL QUALITIES AND WIDTHS.

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MANUFACTURERS of all kinds of copper work, brass, zinc, steamboat, tavern and and BELLS and Gongs, fire engines, force and lift pumps, steam, liquor, soda, oil and water cocks, and valves of all descriptions, made and repaired; hose and other joints, spelter, copper rivets, &c; gas pipes and fixtures always on hand. j21-tf

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THE public are informed that this establishment has accommodations and conveniences for guests unsurpassed by any house in the county. The best the market affords will always be furnished for the table in abundance.

As regards the sleeping arrangements, every effort will be made to insure invariable satisfaction.

At the store can at all times be found a complete assortment of

MINERS' IMPLEMENTS, DRY GOODS, &c.

Together with all description of

MEAT PROVISIONS

of the best quality.

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Surveying and Nautical Instruments, of the best manufacture always on hand.

Repairing executed in a workmanlike manner.

Charts of the latest and most correct surveys, comprising a large assortment of the North and South Pacific Indian Ocean, Horsburg's China Seas, Eastern Passages, Straits of Malacca, Sunda, etc., with rivers and harbors.

Stationery, Pocket Spy Glasses;
Compound Microscopes, Sterioscopes;
Drawing Instruments, Spectacles;
Magnets, Drawing and Tracing Paper;
Hydrometers for Liquors, Salts;
Syrups, Acids, Milk, &c.
Pocket Compasses, Thermometers, &c., with a great variety of other Instruments in the same line.

Being a practical workman, (having learned my business in the manufactory of the celebrated Wm. J. Young, of Philadelphia,) all work entrusted to me will be properly done. j19-3m

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98 Merchant street.

San Francisco, Nov. 2, 1854.

MARIPOSA CHRONICLE.

PARTY PREJUDICE.—A good anecdote is told of a countryman from New York, who was visiting Washington at the time Mr. Van Buren was Vice-President. Our friend was a red-hot Democrat and of course held Mr. Van Buren in the highest reverence. He sat in the circular gallery of the Senate, gazing at the Vice-President, with a mingled feeling of awe and State pride, when suddenly a tall and majestic form appeared at the side of the hall and beckoned to Mr. Van Buren. There was little business doing, and the Vice-President, calling a Senator to the Chair, joined the person mentioned, when both seated themselves on the sofa, both snuffed from the same box—the hand of the Vice-President was laid playfully upon the knee of his companion, and every now and then a hearty laugh would escape them, showing that whatever might be the topic they were discussing, it was one which was agreeable to both.

"Is that Mr. Calhoun with the Vice-President;" asked our country friend, turning to a person near him.

"No, sir."

"Is it Mr. Benton?"

"No, sir."

"Is it Gen. Wool?"

"No, sir."

"May I ask who it is?"

"Why, that is Mr. Clay."

"Mr. Clay!" almost shrieked the man; and does Mr. Van Buren speak to him? Rot me if I ever vote for him again! and the fellow stalked from the hall, firmly believing the country was lost.

HAD A "WINNING" WAY WITH HER.—A wayward son of the Emerald Isle, 'left the bed and board' which he and Margaret, his wife, had occupied for a long while and spent his time around rum shops, where he was always on hand to count himself 'in,' whenever any body should 'stand treat.' Margaret was dissatisfied with this state of things, and endeavored to get her husband back again. We shall see how she succeeded:

"Now, Patrick, my honey, will ye come back?"

"No, Margaret, I won't come back"

"And won't ye come back for the love of the children?"

"Not for the love of the children, Margaret,"

"Will ye come back for the love of meself?"

"Never at all; 'way wid ye."

"An' Patrick, won't the love of the church bring ye back?"

"The church to the devil, and then I won't come back,"

Margaret thought she would try one other inducement. Taking a pint bottle of whiskey from her pocket, and holding it up to her truant husband, she said—

"Will ye come home for the drap of whiskey?"

"Ah, me darling,' answered Patrick, unable to withstand such temptation, it's yeself that'll always bring me home again—*ye have such a winnin' way wid ye!* I'll come home, Margaret."

Margaret declares that Patrick was "reclaimed by moral suasion!"

FOR SALE

THE UNDERSIGNED being desirous of returning to the ATLANTIC STATES, offers for sale the

Valuable Property,

now occupied by him, situated near the junction of the MARIPOSA and AGUA FRIO roads, and consisting of 160 acres of well timbered land, with a two story FRAME HOUSE, 28 ft by 30 ft and dining room attached, a never failing well of water and all necessary out buildings on the premises.

The house is well furnished for the accommodation of travellers and has a GOOD RUN OF CUSTOM. The line of the proposed canal from the MERCED, runs near the door. Upwards of 50 cords of wood are cut and convenient for use.

Enquire on the premises of DAVID CUNNINGHAM.
Upper Agua Frio, Nov. 28, 1854. d1-tf

Lots for Sale.

THE subscriber offers for sale on reasonable terms, several excellent Lots suitable for building purposes, situated on the west side of Charles street, between Seventh and Eighth streets, in the town of Mariposa.

Enquire at the El Dorado Restaurant, of AUGUSTE PUJOL.
Mariposa, August 11, 1854. ag11-tf

Magnolia House,

CHANNEL STREET, STOCKTON.

J. C. MORRIS, PROPRIETOR.

THE Proprietor of this popular Hotel takes pleasure in announcing to his former patrons and the public generally, that having completed the entire re-modeling of his establishment—one of the most complete and extensive Hotels in California—he is now prepared for the reception of the public. No expense has been spared in re-fiting and furnishing every department with all the modern improvements that would add comfort and luxury in making it truly a model Hotel.

The proprietor would take pleasure in greeting his old friends and patrons at his new establishment, assuring them that every attention they may have received at his hands heretofore, will be renewed on the occasion.

TERMS—Of Board, Lodging, &c., on the same liberal scale as before. j27-tf

QUARTZ ROCK JEWELRY.

BARRETT & SHERWOOD

BEG leave to announce the arrival of a celebrated LAPIDARY ARTIST, engaged especially in the East for them. The machinery for this exquisite branch of their business is of the most improved and perfect description, being ordered for their establishment here, without any regard to cost.

They are now able to cut and test all kinds of precious stones and gems; no longer therefore, need the curious treasures of our soil and mines remain unregarded and undeveloped. Quartz rock mixed with gold, when cut and polished, makes the most beautiful and unique style of jewelry. Rings, Pins, Studs, Seals, Cane Heads, Coat Buttons, and a hundred different things, can now be manufactured from it, that for beauty of design and elegance of finish would be highly appreciated in the Eastern States, rendering them, above all other souvenirs, the most superior for home presents. Call and see them at
BARRETT & SHERWOOD'S
Montgomery street, one door from Commercial street, San Francisco.

N. B.—Quartz mixed with gold, suitable for cutting, purchased at from one to five hundred per cent., above the net gold value. feb10

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Direct from New York, by every Clipper,
As well as by
EXPRESS, VIA THE ISTHMUS,
And having just received a COMPLETE ASSORTMENT of every kind of Goods adapted to the wants of the market, are able to offer superior inducements to the CITY AND COUNTRY TRADE

We would also invite the attention of purchasers for the OREGON and SANDWICH ISLAND MARKETS, to our Stock, believing that we can supply them with articles, in our line, suited to their trade, on terms quite as reasonable as any House on the Pacific Coast.

HOTEL KEEPERS AND STEAMBOAT OWNERS Will find every article suited to their wants in our Stock and at reduced prices.

TAAFFE, McCAHILL & CO.,
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Phœnix Hotel,

MAIN STREET MARIPOSA.

BOARD PER WEEK............$8,00
SINGLE MEALS............75

An excellent Stable is attached to this establishment. sep15-tf

Miscellaneous.

LIST OF LETTERS REMAINING IN THE POST OFFICE AT MARIPOSA, DECEMBER 1st, 1854.

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Bodfish H N	Burdon C M
Brown Ezekiel	Bowman W C
Backham S W 2	Burrill A J
Bacigalupe	Bowles
Bryan J B	
C	
Candee E B	Collins Thos
Chiles J W	Campbell Thos
Carter Hiram	Cunningham J W
Cogswell Homer 2	Cromwell Oliver
Conner C W	
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Gold Dust left at this Office to be assayed, or for coinage at the United States Branch Mint, will receive immediate attention; and the results from assays will be returned every forty-eight hours; and the charge in all cases will only be one and a half per cent., including all charges for Assay and Coinage, or one-half per cent. for assay alone, when the amount is fifty ounces and upwards; all amounts under fifty ounces, the price will be Five Dollars.

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ap7 A. S. WRIGHT, Banker.

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Mariposa Advertisements.

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The lines of the last survey will be shown by the undersigned, at any time to persons interested in knowing.

Agua Frio, Sept. 22, 1854.
sep29-3t* O. JOHNSON.

R. T. THORNER, DENTIST, begs leave to refer to the following gentlemen in Mariposa:

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jy21-tf

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ALISON & HARRIS,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW,
Office on Main street, Mariposa.

RICHARD H DALY,
ATTORNEY AND NOTARY PUBLIC,
Mariposa. j19-tf

SAM'L. A. MERRITT,
Attorney at Law, and Notary Public under the Law of 1853.
Office, on Main, between Fourth and Fifth streets, Mariposa. j19-1y

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ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW,
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j19 1y PHOENIX LANSING

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EDWARD C. BELL,
o6-3m Clerk, Auditor, and Recorder.

The Merced

HOTEL

IS now ready for the reception of visitors, and we respectfully request the public generally to give us a call and examine for themselves.

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will be supplied with the best the market affords—vegetables of all kinds in abundance, and fresh at the door, from our Garden.

OUR BAR

is supplied with the very best Liquors and Cigars to be found in the San Francisco market.

OUR BEDS

will be found clean and comfortable.

The Merced Hotel is one of the most pleasant locations between Mariposa and Stockton. Passengers by the Stage will be accommodated with an express wagon to convey them to the depot, and every effort will be made to render the sojourn of travelers and others both pleasant and agreeable.

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In the preparation of this work the author has not only given a practical exposition of his own labors, but has freely consulted and compiled from the works of the most popular writers of the day, thus presenting a careful and well digested compendium of the most important facts and principles furnished by the ablest writers that have ever lived. This is sufficient, it is hoped, as a test of its accuracy and of its untold practical value and utility.

On the receipt of one dollar, this invaluable work will be sent to any part of the State.

All those who may desire one copy or more of this work will please direct their orders to DR. J. C YOUNG, corner Montgomery and California streets, over Wells, Fargo & Co's Express Office, San Francisco, accompanied with the money. All orders will be faithfully and promptly attended to.

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Rooms and Board for persons who may wish to remain private a few days under his treatment.

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(From the "Southern Medical Journal.")

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Also is provided with the best the market affords, prepared by excellent Cooks, and served by the most civil and attentive waiters.

His guests will find every thing essential to comfort, with none of the annoyances connected with dram-selling.

It is truly gratifying to him to see that those who have stopped with him once stop again when they come this way; and he would only add, that, in view of his extension and improvements, there is now room for both themselves and their friends; and if they cannot remember our new name, which, by the by, is the original name of our wonderful city, and will distinguish our House from every other in the world, (the principal reason why it was adopted,) they will, at least, remember No. 89 Pacific street, being on one of the principal thoroughfares leading from the Steamboat Landing.

N. B. Terms moderate
July 19, 1854. jy28-3m

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THE INCREASED DEMAND FOR BOVEE & CO.'S Ground Coffee and Spices, has induced the proprietors to enlarge their facilities and renew their exertions.

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They have recently erected Machinery, by which the smoke is driven from the Coffee the instant it is taken from the fire, thereby retaining its clear and genuine flavor, an operation which has only recently been introduced in the manufactory of Coffee, and never before in this country. Our Coffee is put up in desirable packages, and bears in name and lable. It can be procured at all the wholesale stores throughout the State.

W. H. BOVEE & CO.,
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Adjoining the above establishment, I have opened a

CIGAR STORE,

to which the attention of wholesale buyers and the lovers of genuine HAVANA CIGARS and good TOBACCO, is invited, and a call solicited,

A BLUMENTHAL.
Mariposa, Oct. 27, 1854 jan. 19 tf.

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AND

Billiard Saloon,

On Charles, between 3d and 4th streets, Mariposa.

THE undersigned, proprietor of the above named Hotel, have recently re-furnished their sleeping apartments in a costly and splendid style, for the accommodation of the public, and as heretofore, will hold themselves in readiness to wait upon all who may favor them with a call.

The Billiard Saloon contains one of Winain's best Tables; and the choisest Liquors and best Cigars will be kept constantly on hand.

For beds inquire at the bar.

Connected with the above establishment is a splendid Restaurant, where meals of every description can be obtained at all hours.

ju2-1y GREEN B. ABEL.

Notice.

MISS HAGEN, of Liverpool, requests her nephew, Mr. JNO. F. RODGERS—should this advertisement meet his eye—to write her immediately, addressing his letter to the care of ROBERT RODGERS, Esq., San Francisco, who will forward it to England. sep8 14t

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A GOOD COOK is wanted immediately. Enquire at "OUR HOUSE," Upper Agua Frio, of
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A FINE FAMILY CARRIAGE FOR SALE—Suitable for two Horses, and will seat Four persons—will be sold cheap for Cash, or exchanged for Barley.

Enquire at Taylor's Stable, where the Carriage can be seen.

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REMOVAL.

Dr. J. C. Young,

HAS removed his office from 226 1-2 Dupont street to the corner of Montgomery and California streets, opposite the Banking House of Page, Bacon & Co., where he will be happy to consult with his former patrons, and treat scientifically and with discretion, all those who may require the services of a physician. The success of Dr. Young since his advent in this State, has been without a parallel, and he hopes by continued and untiring application to his profession, to remove from the public mind that lack of confidence which has so unhappily existed in regard to the medical profession in the State of California.

P. S.—All letters enclosing $10 will receive immediate attention. Direct box 735, Post Office, San Francisco.

N. B.—All papers in the State will please insert as special notice the above, for one month, and send bill to J. C. Young, M. D. dec4-tf

DR. J. C. YOUNG,

OF SAN FRANCISCO.

READ AND REFLECT.

"If there is a hereafter,
(And that there is, conscience uninfluenced,
And suffered to speak out, tells every man,)
Then it is an awful thing to die,
More horrid yet to die by one's own hand,
Self-murder—name it not!
Shall Nature, swerving from her earliest dictate,
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Forbid it, Heaven."

THE indulgence in secret practices is the most certain, though not always the most immediate and direct avenue to destruction. Physicians of all ages have been most unanimously of opinion that the loss of one ounce of the seminal secretions, by unnatural aid or emissions, weakens the system more than the abstraction of forty ounces of blood. One of the FIRST writers on medical jurisprudence states that three-fourths of the insane owe their malady to such abuse.

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